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Subject:	ILLEGAL MINING AT THE EAGLE PROPERTY.	

Top of the mornin to ye Kathleen;

Can we review the situation to date, please? Hope springs eternal ...

1. Validity of the original permit to mine: It is fraudulent, beginning with the letters covering the Application in which both Messrs Cherry and Donahue (for Foth) assured us, the people of Michigan, that the document had been prepared in accordance with the requirements set out in Part 632 of Michigan Mining Law. They lied, so committing a felony, which should have caused the document to be rejected and the felons to be punished. We missed that opportunity, in part by accident.

Ten sorry years ago.

Have several reputable Mining Schools simply grade the Application, and Part 632.

If, after several Chapters, they vomit and reject it - so be it. We should do likewise. If you bought a used car from Messrs Cherry and Donahue and a front wheel fell off, would you continue to drive it?

- 2. The regulating agency, MDEQ, overlooked that and the many faults in the document, and issued the permits as requested (instructed). The permits should be withdrawn. 100% illegal. Based on fraudulent input. The several Directors of MDEQ involved might well be required to testify.
- 3. If MDEQ pleads ignorance in mining matters we should accept the plea dismiss them and look elsewhere for knowledgeable regulation. Their ignorance is obvious to those who know something about rocks and mining. It is not excusable.
- 4. MDEQ holds the right to regulate mining matters in Michigan because the EPA delegated that authority to them, but subject to a clause that the authority could be taken back if there was evidence of wrongdoing.

We have that evidence, at the Eagle and now at the Back Forty, therefore let us require EPA to officially withdraw the delegated authority, in matters past, present and future. Immediately. Today! Why delay?

5. Actually we, the people of Michigan, should be reimbursed for losses incurred, which now add up to a billion dollars or so.

Those who committed the crimes and pay the penalties must seek reimbursement from the corporate criminals whose interests they served, and continue to serve.

6. MDEQ, if still the immediate regulator, answering to EPA, must hire individuals capable of understanding the circumstances and making correct and honest decisions. The present staff are not qualified. They demonstrate that fact daily.

7. That leads us into the current situation at the Eagle. The people of Michigan are not given access to the facts, secrecy is near 100%. Please reveal to us immediately and henceforth, the tonnage and grade of ore mined, the recovery of values at mills and smelter, metal by metal, and the expenses incurred, beginning with Day One. It is largely our orebody, just as if they were picking cherries in our orchards.

We remember Flambeau and the deceptive accounting there. Kennecott set them up as a separate venture, apparently leaving Rusk County holding the bag ... Let that not happen again.

- 8. Reveal to us the tonnage and value of mineralized rock (ore) which is wilfully abandoned to maximize profit. That ore, made inaccessible, becomes a cash loss to the owner of the minerals. Our representatives (!) DEQ/DNR, blithely ignore that huge ongoing crime. Fire them!
- 9. Point out to the operator that the permit, although excruciatingly feeble, was allowed to mine a specific orebody, as clearly defined by text, maps and sections and photographs. Some additional ore, steeper and deeper, at the east end of the Eagle rock outcrop, may qualify because it seems to be a continuation of the Eagle orebody. Note that they choose not to mention it today.
- 10. But, big but Eagle East is separate, and described as a different orebody, therefore **not** included in the original permit. Lundin has obviously tried to "jump the gun" but they must stop the development and pay a penalty for again trying to evade the law which is a big crime.

I believe that Lundin will not be unhappy if and when they get out of the present mine ...

- 11. Lundin has hopes of defining a larger, deeper and richer Mother Lode beyond Eagle East, clearly separate from the Eagles, therefore requiring new permits allowing nothing from the original permits to be included because they are clearly criminal in nature. But because of criminal activities they may no longer be eligible to apply for permits in Michigan.
- 12. A review of the original permitting process by a legitimate authority, i.e <u>not</u> MDEQ/MDNR, will show that it is not only faulty but also blatantly fraudulent. Steps must be taken to refund costs of protesting and to bring similar proceedings at other properties to a halt, as despicable frauds conceived by orchestrated Big League Con Artists. HQ in London, U.K.
- 13. Not superstitious are we. So we must assay the new cores for uranium. Why not? The deeper we go the richer it should be ...

Thankyou,	Kathleen	for	taking	the	lead	before	it is	too	late

Sincerely,

RSVP.

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